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8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damages done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—All the standing crops, *viz.*, sugarcane, paddy, ragi, avare, togari and groundnut are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Areca is being harvested in parts of Bangalore Taluk.

Crops Sown.—Horsegram is being sown in parts of Hoskote Taluk only and bilijola in parts of Bangalore, and Hoskote Taluks.

It is reported by the Amildar, Kankanhalli Taluk, that rain is required for the standing crops.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Ploughing operations for Vaisakhi paddy have just begun in Bowringpet Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Viz., ragi, avare, sugarcane and groundnut are reported to be in good condition throughout the District.

Crops Sown.—Horsegram in Kolar, Bowringpet Taluks, bilijola in Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Malur Taluks and potato in Malur Taluk are being sown.

Crops Harvested.—Onions and groundnut are being harvested in Chikballapur Taluk.

10. Fair.

Prices are steady.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District.

Water, fodder and pasture are available throughout the District.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur Taluk, jola in parts of Madhugiri, Sira, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks, greengram and blackgram in Gubbi Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, thogari, horsegram, sugarcane, paddy, groundnut, jola, haraka and castor are reported to be in good condition in all the Taluks. It is reported that ground-nut, castor and cotton crops which had withered away on account of the continuous drought in the Pavagada Taluk are found to be improving.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in parts of Madhugiri and Sira Taluks, sugarcane and paddy in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of Black-quarter in parts of Chiknaikanhalli, Sira and Tiptur Taluks.

The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are reported to have been addressed in the matter.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, ragi, jola, horsegram, sugarcane, thogari, avare, hutchellu, castor, tobacco, Bengalgram, blackgram, greengram, thadagani and coriander are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds Sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Food stocks are available in sufficient quantity.

Rain is still wanted in Heggaddevankote Taluk.

The prices of rice, ragi and jola are reported to be on the decline during the week in Mysore Taluk.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for prevalence of Metrugattu roga in Mudugur village of Gundlupet Taluk.

The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department has been written to in the matter.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Kadale is being sown in the Arkalgud and Chennarayapatna Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in the Hassan, Chennarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; Paddy in the Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur, Chennarayapatna, and Arsikere Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; Togari in the Arkalgud Taluk; Avare in the Arkalgud and Arsikere Taluks; Kulthi in the Arkalgud, Belur and Arsikere Taluks; Ragi in the Belur, Chennarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; Jolam, cotton and ground-nut in the Arsikere Taluk and Chillies in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be generally in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane is being harvested in the Belur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good.

Standing crops in parts of Hassan and Arsikere Taluks, as also of Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in need of rains.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Seeds Sown.—Jola, kadle in the Chennagiri and Honnali Taluks; and wheat in the Honnali Taluk are being sown.

Standing Crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk and ragi in the Sorab and Nagar Taluks are reported to be fair.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in the Taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali and Nagar, paddy in the Shimoga, Sorab and Kumsi, jola and groundnut in the Chennagiri Taluk and areca in the Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Food grains are available.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all the Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, except for the out-break of Foot and Mouth disease in the Villages of Veerapur Chikagoppenahalli in the Shimoga Taluk, Agasanahalli and Ankravalli in the Sorab Taluk; almost all the villages of Sagar Taluk and Kodase, Basavanabyana, Hulical and Kerehalli villages in the Nagar Taluk.

It is reported by these Amildars except of Sagar that the Veterinary Authorities have been addressed in the matter.

Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Crops Sown.—Bengal-gram, onions, garlic in Kadur Taluk, Jola and Bengal-gram in Tarikere Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, jola, togari, avare, coffee, groundnut, castor and cotton are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Areca, coriander and jola in Tarikere Taluk; areca and cardamum in Koppa and Mudgere Taluks, areca in Sringeri Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally fair.

Food grains are available and their prices remain steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District. It is reported that Foot and Mouth disease prevails in some villages of Tarikere Taluk and Metrekattu Roga (ಮೆಟ್ಟೆ ಕಟ್ಟು) in some villages of Mudgere Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks in the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing of bilijola and kadle is reported to be going on in Chitaldrug Taluk; jola, kadle, horse-gram in Hiriyur Taluk; bilijola and kadle in Molakalmuru Taluk; bilijola and kadle in Hosadurga and bilijola, kadle and wheat in Harihar Taluk.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in good condition throughout the District.

Crops Harvested.—Groundnut, black-gram, til and mungari jola in Chitaldrug Taluk (12 annas crop); ragi and sugar-cane in Hiriyur Taluk; jola in Holalkere Taluk (8 annas crop); groundnut, ragi, paddy in Davangere Taluk; ragi, jola, navane, sajje in Molakalmuru Taluk; mungari jola in Jagalur Taluk (4 annas crop); and groundnut in Harihar Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

Labour is reported to be available throughout the District.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the Taluks except Visvesvarapura in Challakere Taluk and in some villages of Hiriyur Taluk where Chappe Roga is prevailing and it is reported that Veterinary Inspectors are taking preventive measures to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are available throughout the District.

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